**PATENT** Attorney Docket No. 14912,777

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re Application of	)
Stephen E. Savas	) Group Art Unit: 1746
Application No.: 09/692,255	Examiner: Alexander Markoff
Filed: 10/19/2000	)
For: Systems and Methods for Photoresist Strip	)
And Residue Treatment in Integrated	)
Circuit Manufacturing	)

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Examiner's Action dated 10/02/2002, applicant elects Group II, claims 18-33, drawn to a method, without traverse.

Please cancel claims 1-17 and 34-85 without prejudice.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including petition fees and extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 23-2415 (Docket No. 14912.777).

Respectfully submitted,

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